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EPA ELECTRONIC MAIL MESSAGE

Date: 13-Nov-1991 10:19am EDT
 From: REGION TAT
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TO: WALTER LEE
 TO: RRC OFFICE
 TO: STEPHEN LUFTIG
 TO: REGION TAT

(LEE.WALTER)
 (RRC)
 (LUFTIG.STEPHEN)
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Subject: AUSTIN AVE. POLREP #32

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 AUSTIN AVENUE RADIATION SITE
 133 AUSTIN AVENUE
 LANSDOWNE, DELAWARE COUNTY, PA 19050
 ATTN: GREGG CRYSTALL, STEPHEN LUFTIG

- I. SITUATION: TUESDAY, 1700 HOURS, 11/12/91.
- A. TWENTY-FOUR HOUR SECURITY CONTINUES.
 - B. PERSONNEL ONSITE: EPA-3, TAT-2, SCA-1, EMSL-1.
 - C. OSC LEE ON SITE TO COORDINATE ACTIVITIES.
 - D. WEATHER: PARTLY CLOUDY, TEMPS LOW 50'S.
 - E. ESTIMATED COSTS TO DATE: (COB 11/11/91)

	CURRENT	CEILING
EPA (DIRECT)	\$ 11,295	\$ 80,000
EPA (INDIRECT)	20,331	120,000
TAT	38,434	55,000
ERCS	142,084	175,000
NAREL (CNES)		400,000
EMSL		3,590
SCA		6,880
ARMY COE		26,500
UNALLOCATED		197,630
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TOTAL	\$212,144	\$1,064,600

F. MEDIA ATTENTION HIGH.

II. ACTIONS TAKEN:

- A. EMSL SCANNER VAN CONTINUED LOOKING FOR ANOMALIES IN LANSDOWNE BOROUGH. SECTIONS 8 AND 9 SCREENED ON 11/11/91 AND SECTIONS 10 AND 11 SCREENED ON 11/12/91.
- B. OPA NURSE COORDINATED LOCAL NEWS MEDIA BRIEFING FOR SCANNER VAN.
- C. FURNITURE BUSINESS TENANT STAIKOFF INQUIRED ABOUT STATUS OF RELOCATION PROGRESS.
- D. RESIDENTIAL ANOMALY TWO INVESTIGATED BY RRR BELANGER. RADON GRAB SAMPLES AND WIPE SAMPLES TAKEN INSIDE BUILDING ON FIRST AND SECOND FLOORS. GAMMA READINGS RECORDED NEAR INTERIOR OF FRONT WALL. RESULTS OF

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PRELIMINARY SURVEY: GAMMA LEVELS NEAR INTERIOR FIRST FLOOR FRONT WALL OF BUILDING 250-500 MICRO R PER HOUR ON CONTACT, AND APPROXIMATELY 125 MICRO R PER HOUR NEAR CENTER OF RECREATION ROOM. SECOND FLOOR FRONT BEDROOM READINGS WERE 80 MICRO R PER HOUR AT BED LOCATIONS. WIPE SAMPLES AND RADON GRAB SAMPLES ALL BELOW ACTION LEVELS.

- E. RESIDENTIAL ANOMALY AT 11 GREENWOOD AVENUE INVESTIGATED BY RRR BELANGER. MICRO R METER READINGS SHOWED THAT THE ANOMALY WAS CONFINED TO PARTS OF THE FRONT SIDEWALK. CONTACT READINGS WERE 800 MICRO R PER HOUR, AND 160 MICRO R PER HOUR AT THREE FEET ABOVE SIDEWALK. READINGS DROPPED TO BACKGROUND TEN FEET FROM SIDEWALK.

III. FUTURE ACTIONS:

- A. EPA TO REMAIN IN CONTACT WITH NEIGHBORHOOD AND UPDATE AS NECESSARY.
B. CHEM-NUCLEAR SURVEY WORK TO BE RESCHEDULED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.
C. SCANNER VAN TO CONTINUE SURVEY ACTIVITIES. ANTICIPATE COMPLETION OF ACTIVITIES 1700 HOURS, 11/14/91.
D. RESIDENTIAL ANOMALY ONE TO BE FURTHER INVESTIGATED 1000 HOURS, 11/13/91.
E. RADON CANISTERS TO BE PLACED AT ANOMALIES ONE AND TWO 11/13/91.

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